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		First Named Inventor	Laddie L. James
		Group Art Unit	3752
		Examiner Name	Dinh Q. Nguyen
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102 84	202 42	Independent claims in excess of 3
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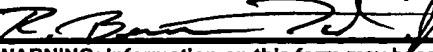
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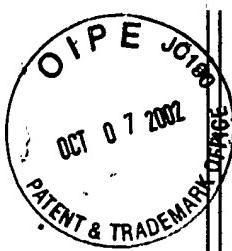
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APPLICANT: Laddie L. James ATTY DOCKET: 9066.002
SERIAL NUMBER: 09/642,868 ART UNIT: 3752
FILING DATE: November 1, 2000 EXAMINER: Dinh Q. Nguyen
TITLE: "Improved Tack Spraying Apparatus"

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Application Number 09/642,868		Filed November 1, 2000
For Improved Tack Spraying Apparatus		
Group Art Unit 3752		Examiner Nguyen, Dinh Q.
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